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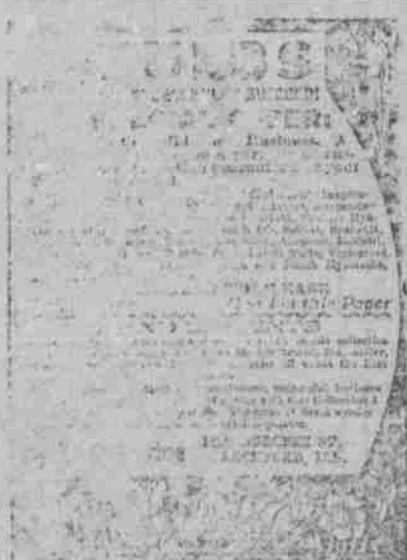
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NOTICE TO COR- RESPONDENTS.

County correspondence on matters of general interest is welcome and appreciated. Neighborhood news is especially desired. All matter intended for publication should reach us as early in the week as possible, not later than Wednesday at farthest, and if by southbound train should be mailed so as to reach us Tuesday evening. In writing names please use care to write them plainly—and do not say "Mr. Smith, Miss Jones or Mrs. Farris," but write "J. C. Smith, Mrs. A. H. Farris or Miss Hattie Jones," as the case may be, so that the readers may know which Mr. Smith, Mrs. Jones or Miss Farris is the subject of the item and thus avoid confusion of names and parties.

MRS. W. T. COWGILL,
Local Editor

SHOWING VALUE OF THE HEN

If It Could Be Capitalized Its Product
Would Pay Bigger Dividends
Than Railroads.

It is claimed that the average production of a hen is 200 eggs per annum, but it is safe to assume that the actual is much below this figure, the Wall Street Journal says. Adopting the very conservative figure of 120 eggs per hen per annum, we find on the above basis of production there are 150,000,000 laying hens in the United States responsible for the production of 18,000,000,000 eggs.

At the farm price of 30 cents per dozen the total income derived from each hen annually would amount to two dollars. Allowing 40 cents for maintenance and ten cents for depreciation, which latter would wipe out the market value of the hen in four years, irrespective of salvage when the period of production is over, the net profit per hen per annum amounts to \$1.50.

This profit, according to Wall street standards, capitalized on a five per cent income basis, would place a nominal value of \$30 on each hen. For the 150,000,000 hens this would amount to the enormous total of \$4,500,000,000.

That the American hen can return a yield of five per cent per annum on a capitalization of \$4,500,000,000 appears nothing short of remarkable, but such is the case. The entire outstanding capital obligations of the railroads of the United States in 1907 were less than four times this amount, or \$10,082,146,683, while the total paid out in interest and dividends represented but 4.05 per cent. of this amount.

PRESENT OF SACK OF COFFEE

In Brazil This Is Set Aside for Child
at Its Birth—Opened on Wed-
ding Day.

"We have a custom in the coffee raising countries," said Ricardo G. Muller of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, who is interested in coffee plantations in that country, "which is unknown in other parts of the world. When a child is born in the coffee country a sack of the best grain is set aside as part of the inheritance to be received on attaining its majority."

"Usually the sack is the gift from some close friend or relative, and it is guarded as sacredly as if it were a gift of gold or bonds. No stress would induce a Brazilian parent to use coffee which was made the birth gift of a child."

"As a rule, it is sealed with the private seal of the owner and bears a card giving all particulars about the variety of grain, its age on being sacked, and the birth of the child to whom it is given, and other details, which are very interesting when the gift is due."

"Generally, the coffee is opened for the first time when the child marries. The coffee for the reception or marriage feast is made from the legacy, and according to precedent, this must be the first time the sack is opened. After the coffee is made for the wedding feast the sack is carefully closed and sent to the new home of the young couple, and should keep them in the staple for a year at least."

The One Idea.

Frequently the man of one idea would get along better if he didn't adopt a new one every day.

Happiness.

Happiness is not that which you are doing, but the motive at the back of the doing.—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Fools Few People.

Counterfeit sympathy is one of the most easily detected imitations in the world.

Improvement on Old Adage.

"Say nothing but what is good of the living" is an excellent motto.

Must Advance or Recede.

No man or no nation can stand still. In a world where every form of life has grown out of a lower form, where one age builds on another, as the coral insect builds up the islands of the sea, nothing can be stationary.

Few Have the Knack.

It is one of the hardest and most useful accomplishments in the world to be annoyed without letting the fact annoy others.

Guests Carved for Themselves.

It was the custom in medieval times to carve a roast meat on a spit, and to pass it round the table for each guest to cut off what he liked.

Compulsory Reading.

Some of the ministers are asking again why the church attendance is small. Perhaps it is because the Sunday papers are so large.

CONTEST NOTICE.

7987.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, New Mexico, May 9, 1910.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Alvin P. Smith, of Boaz, N. M., contestant, against Homestead Entry, No. 02002, made Sept. 4, 1908, for SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 13, Township 6 S., Range 28 E., by Robert A. Weyer, contestee, in which it is alleged under date of May 6, 1910, that said Robert A. Weyer has wittingly abandoned said tract, has not resided upon, improved or cultivated said land or any part thereof for more than six months next prior to date of affidavit, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, in time of War: That said entryman never established a residence on said land, never at any time cultivated or improved any portion thereof, has been absent from said land for a period of more than six months next prior to Dec. 1, 1909, and that said default and absence still continue, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 8th, 1910, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Kenna, Chaves county, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 9 o'clock a. m., on July 11th, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.

That said contestant having in a proper affidavit filed May 26, 1910, set forth facts which shown that after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

T. C. TILLOTSON,

June 10-July 5

Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Non coal land.

016580.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., June 20, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Cyrus A. Bowers, of Elkins, N. M., who, on May 25, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 16854, Serial 016080, for NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 15, Township 7 South, Range 28 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. P. Lively, U. S. Commissioner in his office, at Elkins, N. M., on the 8th day of August, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:
John F. Carroll, Groce C. Cooper,
William D. Smith, Henry F. Hyman,
all of Elkins, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,

June 24-July 29

Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Non coal land.

016560.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., June 20, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that George W. Brookshier, of Kenna, N. M., who, on February 17, 1909, made Homestead Entry, Serial 016560, for NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 10, Township 6 South, Range 31 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner in his office, at Kenna, N. M., on the 8th day of August, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:
William H. Wood, Edgar E. Lee,
L. Mac Carmichael, William B. Scott,
all of Kenna, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,

June 24-July 29

Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Non coal land.

016484.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., June 11, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that George E. Wright, of Boaz, N. M., who, on February 9, 1909, made Homestead Entry, Serial 016484, for E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 21, Township 6 South, Range 29 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner in his office, at Kenna, N. M., on the 6th day of August, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Lee K. Robertson, Samuel O. Dial,
Walker Eaton and Harry H. Goodin,
all of Boaz, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,

July 1-Aug 5

PUBLIC LAND SALE.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., June 13, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stats., 517), we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 28th day of July, at this office, the following described land: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 28, Township 5 South, Range 30 East, N. M. P. Meridian.

Any persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

HAROLD HURD, Receiver.
June 17-July 23

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Non coal land.

00682.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., June 11, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that Washington M. McLaughlin, of Elida, N. M., who, on January 4, 1909, made Homestead Entry, Serial 00682, for SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 10, Township 4 South, Range 30 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. T. Cowgill, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Kenna, N. M., on the 5th day of August, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses:
George T. Littlefield, of Kenna, N. M.; Andrew J. Smith, of Kenna, N. M.; John H. Widge, of Elida, N. M.; John H. Widge, of Elida, N. M.

T. C. TILLOTSON,

June 24-July 29

Register.

Quite So.

"Americans say we have no sense," said the loyal Defender, "but I understand, sir, that Hing-ling is to be laughed at!"